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INVITATION TO BID

Contract: SD-2013-01

Project: Stormwater Infrastructure Repair and Improvements

Owner:

City of Durham 101 City Hall Plaza Durham, North Carolina 27701

Engineer/Issuing Office:

Attention: Sujit Ekka, P.E., CFM City of Durham Department of Public Works Stormwater and GIS Services Division 101 City Hall Plaza Durham, North Carolina 27701 (919) 560-4326, ext. 30271

Date: July 25, 2013

The City of Durham will open sealed formal Bids submitted by prequalified Bidders at 3:00 PM, Monday, August 26, 2013 for Contract SD-2013-01, Project: Stormwater Infrastructure Repair and Improvements in the Department of Public Works Conference Room, Third Floor, 101 City Hall Plaza, Durham, North Carolina. The Project involves the furnishing of all materials, labor, equipment, tools, etc. unless otherwise specified, for the complete installation of repairs, rehabilitation, and improvements of stormwater drainage systems at various site locations throughout the City of Durham.

Beginning Thursday, July 25, 2013, the Project Manual including Bidding Documents, Contract Documents, and Technical Specifications, including Drawings, may be viewed and downloaded, free of charge, from the City of Durham, Department of Public Works web site: http://durhamnc.gov/ich/op/pwd/consproj/Pages/Home.aspx.

City of Durham Street Construction Specifications and Water and Sewer Construction Specifications may be downloaded at: http://durhamnc.gov/ich/op/pwd/eng/Pages/ConsSpecs.aspx.

Bidders are required to attend the pre-Bid conference at 10:00 AM, Wednesday, August 7, 2013 in the Department of Public Works Conference Room, Third Floor, 101 City Hall Plaza, Durham, North Carolina.

Only Bids submitted by prequalified Bidders will be considered. SDBE Contractor Prequalification Forms are to be submitted to the City of Durham Department of Equal Opportunity/Equity Assurance (EO/EA). The deadline for submitting completed Prequalification Forms is Monday, August 19, 2013.

Prequalification Forms can be downloaded from the EO/EA web site: http://durhamnc.gov/ich/as/eoea/Documents/equal prequal app.pdf. SDBE Contractor Prequalification Forms are also available in Appendix D of the Project Manual.

Each Bidder must be licensed under Chapter 87 of the North Carolina General Statutes. The City Council of the City of Durham reserves the right to reject any or all of the Bids. All Bids must include a non-collusion affidavit.

To ensure that all Bidders using the Purchasing Division's web site are kept up to date on any Addenda, changes, or information notices, please send an e-mail to SSDProjects@durhamnc.gov indicating your intention to prepare a Bid for the Project. Failure to complete this step may render your Bid as non-responsive.

Each Bidder is advised that the Work may be inspected and supervised by an Engineer or firm under the direction of the City of Durham. The Engineer or firm may also be involved in the identification of specific repair areas and the proposed method of repairs for the Site Work.

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Sites:

- 1. Clermont Road
- 2. East Main Street
- 3. 919 W. Knox St
- 4. Goodyear Circle
- 5. Concord and Formosa Street
- 6. Stephenson and East Ellerbe Street
- 7. Onslow and West Markham Street
- 8. Maplewood Cemetery
- 9. Third Fork Creek bank stabilization
- 10. Rocky Creek Stabilization
- 11. Shoccoree Drive spillway maintenance

The City of Durham requires the Project to be completed in 180 calendar days from date of Notice to Proceed.

No Bid shall be considered or accepted unless at the time of its filing the same shall be accompanied by a deposit of cash or a certified or cashier's check drawn on a bank or trust company insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the amount of the Bid. The check shall be made payable to the City of Durham. Said deposit shall guarantee that the Contract will be entered into by the successful Bidder if the award is made. Such deposit of cash or certified or cashier's check may be held by the City until the successful Bidder has executed and delivered the Contract Documents, including performance and payment bond, to the City of Durham and returned or kept in accordance with North Carolina General Statute 143-129.

Refer to other Bidding requirements described in Document 00 21 15 and Document 00 31 00.

In lieu of the cash deposit or certified or cashier's check mentioned above, the Bidder may file a Bid bond in the same amount executed by a corporate surety authorized to execute such bonds in North Carolina and conditioned as provided by North Carolina General Statute 143-129 and in the form attached to the

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Bidding Documents (see Appendix F) or on file with the Engineer. Bid bond forms enclosed as part of the Bidding Documents must be properly executed at the time Bids are submitted before Bid will be considered. Properly executed Power of Attorney of the corporate surety's agent shall accompany such bond and be attached to the page provided therefore in the Bidding Documents.

Bids shall be submitted under a condition of irrevocability, except as required by law, for a period of ninety (90) days after Bid opening.

The City of Durham reserves the right to accept or reject any or all Bids.

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